

## 6. Landcare Committee

### Membership

In addition to Councillors, to include the Regional Conservator, Department of Conservation, with speaking (but no voting) rights.

The Council Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson are members *ex officio*.

Quorum: 3 Councillors

### Objectives of the Landcare Committee

#### Objective 6A

To recommend policies on the provision, development, operation and management of those services and facilities which are the responsibility of the Committee.

#### Objective 6B

To monitor and advise the Council on the effectiveness and efficiency of the services and facilities which are the responsibility of the Committee.

### Specific Responsibilities of the Landcare Committee

- 6.1       Overseeing the financial planning and management, the technical planning, development, operation and maintenance of:
- Rivers and floodplain management in the western part of the Region
  - Conservation forest estates owned by the Wellington Regional Council or operated jointly with other authorities, organisations or individuals.
  - Regional parks reserves and recreation facilities owned, operated or to be developed by the Regional Council, or in conjunction with other parties.
  - Rural firefighting and firefighting services in the Wellington Regional Council Rural Fire District.
- 6.2       Approving under delegated authority and where appropriate recommending to Council commercial agreements with public and private sector authorities and organisations and private individuals for the use of Council property and facilities within the areas of the Committee's responsibility.